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Applicant DEXCOM, Inc.		

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- I ☒ Basis of the report
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- III ☐ Non-establishment of report with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability
- IV ☐ Lack of unity of invention
- V ☒ Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement
- VI ☐ Certain documents cited
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- VIII ☐ Certain observations on the international application

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I. Basis of the report

1. With regard to the elements of the international application:*

☒ the international application as originally filed☒ the description:

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☐ the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (under Rule 23.1(b)).☐ the language of publication of the international application (under Rule 48.3(b)).☐ the language of the translation furnished for the purposes of international preliminary examination (under Rules 55.2 and/or 55.3).

3. With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application, the international preliminary examination was carried out on the basis of the sequence listing:

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V. Reasoned statement under Article 35(2) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement**1. statement**

Novelty (N)	Claims	<u>4, 7, 8, 14, 15, 19, 20</u>	YES
	Claims	<u>1-3, 5, 6, 9-13, 16-18</u>	NO
Inventive Step (IS)	Claims	<u>4, 7,</u>	YES
	Claims	<u>1-3, 5, 6, 8-20</u>	NO
Industrial Applicability (IA)	Claims	<u>1-20</u>	YES
	Claims	<u>NONE</u>	NO

2. citations and explanations (Rule 70.7)

Claims 1, 3, 5, 6, 9-13, 16, and 18 lack novelty under PCT Article 33(2) as being anticipated by Fenson WO 98/24358. Fenson has a medical sensing device 10 which transmits measured data to receiving device 400, which has a computer memory, which transmits data to central station 500, which has a web server, including an interactive website. The central station process the data creating manipulated data, which is then sent back tot he receiving device and monitor.

Claims 1-3, 5, 6, 9-13, and 16-18 lack novelty under PCT Article 33(2) as being anticipated by Brown WO 00/32098. Brown has a glucose sensing device 28, which transmits measured data to receiving device 26 having a computer memory and display, which transmits data to central station 24, 128, and 20, which has a web server, including an interactive website. The central station process the data creating manipulated data, which is then sent back tot he receiving device and monitor.

Claims 8, 14, 15, 19, and 20 are an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3) as being obvious over Brown in view of in view of Saylor WO 00/33065. Brown does not trigger an infusion pump in response to measurements. However, Saylor teaches doing so to simplify the treatment. Hence, it would have been obvious to modify Brown to have a drug infusion triggered by abnormal results, to simplify a patient's treatment.

Claims 4 and 7 meet the criteria set out in PCT Article 33(2)-(4), because the prior art does not teach or fairly suggest calibrating the receiving device or medical device based ont he manipulated data.

_____ NEW CITATIONS _____

NONE